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Examiner: Pak, Sung H

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed May 21, 2003, which response is being made on or before August 21, 2003, and for which \$205 extension fees are due.

ELECTION/RESTRICTION

Election of Invention

The Examiner has identified claims relating to two distinct inventions, namely:

- Group I Claims 1-14 drawn to infrared communications link and a method to link devices; and
- Group II Claims 15-20 drawn to a method to prevent interference between infrared signals of different devices.

The Examiner has required election of one invention.

In response, the Applicant hereby elects Group I (claims 1-14) for immediate consideration.

The Applicant believes that the application is now ready for substantive examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: July 22, 2003